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LETTER DATED 17 JUNE 1994 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF AUSTRALIA TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

Pursuant to paragraph 13 of Security Council resolution 917 (1994) of 6 May, which requested Member States to report on the measures they had instituted for meeting their obligations contained in resolution 917 (1994) and earlier relevant resolutions, namely, resolutions 841 (1993) of 16 June 1993 and 873 (1993) of 13 October 1993, imposing sanctions on Haiti, I have the honour to transmit to you a report from the Government of Australia (see annex).

I should be grateful if you would have the text of the present letter and its annex circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Richard BUTLER

Annex

Statement made on 17 June 1994 by the Government of Australia pursuant to Security Council resolution 917 (1994) concerning sanctions against Haiti

Pursuant to paragraph 13 of Security Council resolution 917 (1994) of 6 May 1994, which requested States to report on the measures they had instituted for meeting the obligations contained in resolution 917 (1994) and earlier relevant resolutions, namely, resolutions 841 (1993) of 16 June 1993 and 873 (1993) of 13 October 1993, the Government of Australia has the honour to submit the following.

Financial measures

Regulations have been made under the Charter of the United Nations Act, effective as at 8 June 1994, which implement the financial sanctions imposed under paragraph 8 of resolution 841 (1993) and paragraph 4 of resolution 917 (1994) (and taking into account paragraph 2 of resolution 873 (1993)). The Reserve Bank of Australia will be issuing notices shortly under the Banking (Foreign Exchange) Regulations to inform banks and exchange dealers of the measures.

Trade measures

Amendments have been made to the Customs (Prohibited Exports) Regulations and Customs (Prohibited Imports) Regulations, effective as at 8 June 1994, which implement the wide-ranging trade sanctions imposed by paragraphs 5 and 6 of resolution 841 (1993) and paragraphs 6 and 7 of resolution 917 (1994) (and taking into account paragraph 7 of resolution 841 (1993), paragraph 3 of resolution 873 (1993) and paragraphs 7 and 8 of resolution 917 (1994)).

Regulations have also been made under the Charter of the United Nations Act, effective as at 8 June, to cover the activities of Australian citizens outside the Australian jurisdiction.

Immigration measures

Amendments have been made to regulations under the Migration Act, effective as at 2 June 1994, to implement paragraph 3 of resolution 917 (1994).

Civil aviation measures

Amendments have been made to the Air Navigation Regulations, effective as at 1 June 1994, to implement paragraph 2 of resolution 917 (1994).